Syracuse N.Y.
1115 So. Geddes St
Oct. 7. 1902

Dear Brother Robinson:

It was my pleasant duty to preside as Moderator at a meeting of Park Central Church for the call of a pastor.

You are already aware of the result of that meeting.

I wish merely to assure you, and if needed, to reassure you that the call is the genuine expression of an entire people- not a dissenting member in Committee, not a dissenting vote in the church - on the contrary an enthusiastic unanimous vote. Hope and prayer that you may see your way clear to lead them

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call.

A most happy feeling prevails in the congregation.

The opportunity seems a splendid one for Christian ambition, and I believe your best endeavors for the Master's work will find able support.

This is merely the observation of an outsider, and is given that you may have no hesitation so far as the feeling of the Church toward you is concerned.

I have heard pleasantly of your two former parishioners who attended your Normal school.

Hoping soon to welcome you to our city - to know you personally, believe me,

Most Cordially Yours,

J. A. Reed

Delhi N. Y.

Sept - 24, 1902

My dear Courtland:—

Mrs. Talyerson telephoned us last night that you had received a call from the church in Syracuse. We wish to tender our congratulations, and tell you how pleased we are that you are going to such a

fine church, and that you
are going to be so much
nearer us. It will be nicer
now to come to Delhi for a
little visit almost any time.
Father is away attending
the meeting of Presbytery. I am
he will be very glad when
he hears it. I went down
to the train last night and
met Miss Eastman. She
is a very sweet girl, and
we are glad to befriend

her. She left for Stanford in the
early days this morning. I imagine
from what she said that she is going
to be homesick, and indeed it will
be rather depressing, to enter upon
her new work, such a dismal,
cheerless day. We shall hope to
receive a letter soon, telling us about
your plans, and when you will
enter upon your new duties. Give

my love to Ernest and
Elwood. We shall hope
to see you all this week
you must get near us.

Affectionately,

Mac.